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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENT

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WATER QUALITY POLICY MEMORANDUM

Series #1-77

PURPOSE: To establish a procedure for publicizing the policy position of the Bureau of Water Quality, Division of Environment with respect to various water quality management issues.

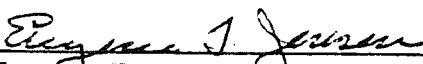
BACKGROUND: State and Federal legislative actions have resulted in the adoption of a complex series of programs designed to abate pollution and to assure water quality in the future. These programs include elements of planning, operation and maintenance of sewerage facilities, financial assistance for the construction of a municipal sewerage facilities, extension of municipal sewerage systems, protection of groundwater, investigation of fish-kills, and prevention and clean-up of oil spills. It is essential from both environmental and financial management standpoints that these various program elements be articulated.

POLICY: The Bureau of Water Quality hereby establishes a system of numbered memoranda whereby Bureau Policy with respect to its various water quality programs will be defined. Water Quality Policy Memoranda will be numbered sequentially, will be revised from time to time, and an up-to-date index will be maintained.

A regular mailing list will be established whereby copies of each Water Quality Memoranda may be distributed to all interested parties.

Issues which may be the subject of a Water Quality Policy Memoranda should be brought to the attention of the Bureau of Water Quality for appropriate action. The Bureau of Water Quality will consider such requests from any individual or organization having a proper interest in water quality management within Kansas and who is willing to prepare background material explaining the need for a Water Quality Policy Memorandum. Any such requests should be directed to: Director, Bureau of Water Quality, Department of Health and Environment, Topeka, Kansas 66620.

Effective date: March 31, 1977.


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Director